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R. WEBB Editor and Manager

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The republican county committee of Calaveras has appointed nine delegates to the state convention which meets in Sacramento May 18, and by resolution has authorized its appointees to represent the party in the first congressional and eleventh assembly district conventions, "to meet at the same time and place." This conveys the idea that congressional and assembly candidates are to be selected at the forthcoming convention. Haven't our friends across the river made a slight mistake in this matter. No call for the nomination of a congressman has yet been made, and outside of the action of the Calaveras committee, nothing whatever has been said about an assembly district convention. The delegates from Amador county have no authority to participate in the nomination of a congressional or legislative ticket. It is entirely out of the ordinary procedure to select these candidates at the first convention during a presidential year. Is it possible that a scheme is afoot to force an assembly nomination at this juncture? The Calaveras delegation constitutes one half the strength of the assembly district convention. Only one delegate from another county is needed to consummate a plan of usurpation of this character. The situation is extremely delicate. To force a nomination in this way would be perilous from a party standpoint. No republican would be under any obligation to support a candidate whose nomination was brought about by such devious methods. Republicans are jealous of their rights, and it is vitally important that a candidate appealing for their suffrages come to them through the regular party channels.

The board of supervisors rejected the appeal of the solid newspaper fraternity of the county for a revised schedule of rates for printing and advertising. The old table has done service for the past seven years. It is probably the only thing in connection with the county government that has stood the test of time without variability or shadow of turning. The printers and publishers, who are supposed to be versed in such matters, were a unit in the opinion that changes and additions were needed to meet the altered conditions, and took the trouble to get together at the request of the board and fix up a schedule of rates, raising some items, lowering others, and adding some items heretofore never covered by the price list, at the same time making it intelligible as a whole. But the board without any apparent cause clung to the worn-out prices, thereby arbitrarily telling the print shops that printing rates are not subject to change. We have hugged the idea that it takes two parties to make a bargain. In this case a deadlock has been reached, and one side or the other must make a tumble.

SUPERIOR COURT.

HON. R. C. RUST, JUDGE.

Estate of B. D. Maggiora—Sale of personal property confirmed. Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be granted.

Estate of Frank Hoffman—Confirmation of sale of personal property.

Estate of W. Mitchell—Final account approved.

Estate of Tripkovich—Final account allowed and approved.

Estate of E. J. Kiser—Order of sale of real estate granted.

Estate and guardianship of Naomi Thoms—F. H. Thoms appointed guardian.

NEW SUITS.

E. A. Leigh vs. Mrs. Ralph Moore and Mrs. James Rippin—Suit to quiet title to lot 8 block 11, known as the Eudey premises. Defendants are the surviving children of Louis Mania and wife, Jane M. Mania, both of whom are dead. The grants to L. Mania and Mrs. Jane Mania show some variation in the name, sometimes written Minor. It is alleged that the defendants assert some claim to the property, and suit is brought to require them to set up the nature of said claims, and for decree that the variously spelled names in the deeds be held to be the same persons. W. J. McGee, attorney. The suit is brought to straighten out the title, as a preliminary step to the sale of the Eudey and Fleming property.

E. A. Timms vs. C. E. Brown and Hulda B. Brown—On appeal from justice's court of township 5. Plaintiff sued for a right of way through a lane known as the Timms lane, containing about 3 acres. Judgment was given for plaintiff for the restoration of right of way and \$25 damages and costs. Defendant appeals.

Ladies and Children

who can not stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups and cathartic pills are especially fond of Little Early Risers. All persons who find it necessary to take a liver medicine should try these easy pills, and compare the agreeable pleasant and strengthening effect with the nauseating and weakening remedies following the use of other medicines. Little Early Risers cure biliousness, constipation, sick headache, jaundice, malaria and liver troubles. Sold by City Pharmacy.

Bernard's circus gave a performance in Jackson Monday and Tuesday nights, and was appreciated by all who attended.

Mrs. C. McCoy left early this week, accompanied by her daughter Mamie, for Sacramento, where they will remain for some time.

Five Hundred Farmers.

(Communicated)

Amador county needs 500 more farmers than she has at the present time. Not men who cannot be content unless they own the major portion of the earth, but real working farmers. Men who can take 25 or 50 acres of good land, and by proper cultivation make it produce sufficient to support their families. This county is known throughout the entire United States as a bullion producer, and people from the eastern states who come to California looking for homes steer clear of us because they are not searching for mines, never dreaming that within our borders lie thousands of acres of the most productive lands in the state. No other county in California can show a greater or better variety of farm products, and there is no reason why we should not produce the quantity as well as the quality.

When we compare the prices of farming lands here with those elsewhere we find that we are on the very bedrock basis. Our water supply in many parts of the county is unexcelled, and the climate will compare favorably with that of any section of the state. The home markets are of the best, there being a ready sale for eggs, chickens, butter, hogs, cattle, vegetables, etc., and it often happens that the supply of hay and grain falls far short of the demand, thus necessitating the sending out of large sums of money that should be spent in our midst.

Just now a few joint stock companies are buying up the choicest grazing and timber lands and converting them into vast tracts to the everlasting injury of all other enterprises. It would be far better for the country if these lands could be subdivided into 25 and 50 acre tracts where men of small means could furnish permanent homes for their families. Notwithstanding these disadvantages there still remains land enough in close proximity to the mother lode to furnish excellent homes for 500 families. The male members could find employment the greater portion of the time at the mines if they so desired, and at the same time put their farms upon a paying basis, and thus become independent.

Where are we to get these men of industry? You cannot convert a miner into a farmer, but you can easily change a farmer into a miner. Few men who began underground work when young can ever be induced to change their occupation. There must be new people brought into our midst if we realize this much needed addition to our population. How and where are they to come from? Will the building of a railroad a few miles further into the interior bring them? Can an enterprising newspaper that will continually publish to the outside world the many natural advantages that we enjoy assist in any material way? Will the building of good roads and the passage of wise laws by our county fathers have any influence? If so, let us begin now, and act as a unit in agitating the railroad question, and never cease our labors until the farming and lumbering belts are bound together with iron rails; let the snort of the iron horse be heard from the Sierras to the sea, and when this paying and much talked of enterprise is a reality, there can be no question but that it will be the means of furnishing its proportionate percentage of this new and desired people.

If a newspaper article published in any one of the many progressive papers of the county can be the means of bringing in a single individual, a home seeker, then let the brainy and much-imposed-upon editors shed their linen, get to work and keep at it until their portion of the work is done. It matters but little to the public whether mention is made of a visit paid by Alinda Littlefoot of Rattlesnake Gulch to Mrs. Nora Simpkins of Hog Wallow, but it does mean something to all the people of the county and state to know that Mr. J. L. Doe of Maine has purchased a 50-acre farm near Jackson, Amador county, and intends erecting thereon a commodious dwelling, for the future home of himself, wife and ten children. How many industries would be affected thereby and what an addition such a family would be to our community.

If our supervisors, who seem to be men of good legislative and executive ability, will ignore, to an extent, the petty complaints of individuals and particular localities and legislate on that broad principle, "The greatest good to the greatest number," if they will see to it, when sitting as a board of equalization, that the farmer, the banker, the manufacturer, the merchant and the mine owners, furnish their just portion of the county's funds; and lastly if each member will look after all the roads in his particular district and keep them in reasonable repair, then will they have materially aided in bringing into this county a class of people upon whom its future prosperity and stability may depend.

California is typically the home of the man of moderate means, and no portion of it more so than Amador county. The north, the east, the south are full of home-seekers, many of whom are coming to California. Can we get them to come this way and secure homes in this favored spot of our golden state?

To Cure A Cold In One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SOUTH EUREKA MINING COMPANY.

Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of works, Sutter Creek, Amador County, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 6th day of April, 1904, an assessment (No. 40) of two (2) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the secretary, at the office of the company, room 2, No. 30 California street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 6th day of May, 1904, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on FRIDAY, the 25th day of May, 1904, to pay the delinquent assessment, to wit: with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors,
 Office—Room 2, No. 30 California street,
 San Francisco, California. ag9

MISCELLANEOUS.

DeWITT'S WITCH HAZEL SALVE

THE ORIGINAL.

A Well Known Cure for Piles.

Cures obstinate sores, chapped hands, eczema, skin diseases. Makes burns and scalds painless. We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. The best salve that experience can produce or that money can buy.

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DeWitt's is the original and only pure and genuine Witch Hazel Salve made. Look for the name DeWITT on every box. All others are counterfeit.

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 Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

FROM OUTSIDE PRECINCTS

VOLCANO ITEMS.

Business in this little mining town is looking up, and if the signs of the times are fulfilled, Volcano will again ere long be numbered as one of the most prosperous towns in Amador county.

T. J. Quinn, our blacksmith, has become famous of late as a wagon builder. He is now completing a light road wagon for Robert Triggs, which will be one of the neatest ever sent from his shop.

Mrs. Hall, one of the pioneer ladies of our county, is very ill. Her niece from San Francisco is now administering to her wants.

Miss Ella Clute returned from San Francisco last Thursday, after enjoying a week of much needed rest. Her brother's family will visit friends in Volcano soon.

Lawrence Cuneo, the Sutter Creek hardware man, has contracted to do about \$250 worth of work in town.

Dr. Freeman is kept very busy these days attending to outside patients. Within the town limits we are comparatively healthy.

Our fun-makers have been out of town for a week or so, hence we have no thrilling events to record.

The reservoir at the Big Elephant gave away one evening last week, which has necessitated a short delay in putting on the night crew.

We understand that the last run at the Glenn mine yielded about \$14 per ton.

All the gravel claims are running full blast. Considerable coarse gold has already been taken out of many of them.

A few Jackson men are expecting to do some gravel mining in this section if satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owners of the ground.

The claim known as the Treadwell mine, located five miles west of town and owned by Messrs. Guillauna and Nixon, was sold one day last week to parties from Seattle for \$3500 cash. These men had placed prospectors on the property four months before, and were perfectly satisfied with results. This is a peculiarity of the mine owners of this district. They will allow their claims to be thoroughly inspected. They take a special pride in showing them to outsiders, and having placed them at a reasonable figure, feel perfectly confident that purchasers will not be disappointed.

The 50th anniversary of the organization of the Masonic lodge in Volcano will be appropriately celebrated by members and friends at Howerton's grove, on Tuesday, May 17th. The occasion will partake of the nature of a basket picnic. Amusements of all kinds will be indulged in, and prizes given to winners of different contests. In the evening an interesting program will be rendered, after which all Masons and their wives will be banqueted. Dr. A. M. Gall of Jackson, will be the orator of the occasion.

S C RIBBLER.

PINE GROVE.

PINE GROVE, April 28.

Mrs. C. Harding has been very ill, but is better now; also Mrs. Zumalt.

Quite a number from Pine Grove attended the school entertainment at New York Ranch last Saturday evening. A good time was reported by all present.

Mrs. T. Z. Batchelder leaves here the first of next week for Lodi, to attend the camp meeting.

Rev. Frances Deal and wife will leave here next week for Los Angeles, where they will spend a few days, then on to Nebraska.

Mr. Boyer, who is working at De-fender, came home on a visit.

Mr. Wooster and bride passed through here on their way home, looking very happy. We wish them a long and happy life. D. M.

OLETA.

Mrs. Salzgeber of Los Angeles, is visiting her son, Fritz Yager.

Miss Ruby Shearler went to Ione last Sunday to stay for an indefinite time with her aunt, Mrs. French.

Mrs. C. Beard, who has a position in San Francisco, is visiting with her relatives.

Alex Gordon, who has been working at the Fremont, is at home for the present.

The Oleta school closed last Friday with the intention of having a picnic, but on account of bad weather the affair has been postponed until suitable weather.

Mr. Mayon has discontinued operations at the Suckertown mine. We miss the friendly whistle each morning, noon and night.

Mr. Montzay, who has been proprietor of the Ranchero boarding house, has moved with his family to his ranch near Aukum, and Mr. Gillick and family have taken possession.

Miss J. Newell, who has been visiting friends in Sacramento, has returned.

You Know What You Are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c

A True Fit.

At the machine works of Garbarini may be seen an example of a perfect joint in ironwork, the results of which are really astonishing to the man not versed in such matters. The work consists of two pieces of cast iron, about 15 inches square, each weighing 37 pounds. One surface of each has been made perfectly flat, and polished to the highest degree. When these two polished surfaces are placed together, the fit is so perfect that all air is excluded, and the effect is astonishing. When first placed in contact the upper slab slips over the polished surface of the other as if it were greased. But as soon as the air is excluded, the two are glued together as it were. Such is the strength of the adhesion, that the upper part may be lifted vertically, holding the under part with a vice like grip. It requires a strong man to even slide them apart. It is claimed if these polished surfaces were oiled, it would take a pressure of about a ton to separate them. The effect is not due to magnetism or electric attraction, but is an example of suction through absence of air. It is a perfect fit, and shows the exactness with which work can be turned out at this establishment. It is not a mere curiosity either, but is a useful instrument as a standard to determine any perfectly flat surface that may be required. This work was done by J. W. Gotlieb, the expert machinist.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

[The following instruments have been filed for record in the recorder's office since our last report. We publish a complete list of documents recorded, and must decline to accede to any request to suppress any document from these columns. Don't ask us to do so.]

DEEDS.

Michele Cavallero to Phillip Cavallero, lots 11, 2 and 3 in block 8, Drytown, \$50.

Jacob Vogeli to Julia Vogeli, 160 acres, \$5-11, gift.

U. S. to Jacob Vogeli, 160 acres, \$5-11.

Martha Savage to Dora Isabelle Shealer, right of way for sewerage, Sutter Creek, \$1.

Della B. Merrill to L. N. Martell, Martell station, \$9000.

W. C. Fithian, administrator, to Ephraim Fithian, half interest in 280 acres in T-6-10.

M. D. Nixon et al to James K. Schenck, Diana and Guillian quartz mines, Volcano, \$10.

James K. Schenck to Sidney Drake, Diana and Guillian quartz mines, Volcano district, \$50,000.

R. K. McCoy to Eleanor McCoy, lot 5 block 3, Jackson, gift.

John Guisti to J. R. Huberty and others, right of way for sewer pipe across lot in Hamilton tract.

E. C. Rust, judge, to E. A. Leigh, lot in Jackson.

Hulda H. B. Brown to Jacob Jurico, lot in T-6-10, \$10.

Kate May Dillon to George Allen, 220 acres, 5-7-9, \$10.

Catherine Mullen to John Touhey, 50 acres Jackson valley, \$50.

Pietro Guillian to Paolo Maruccci, interest in lot 3 block 3, Jackson, \$900.

U. S. to Charles T. Crocker, North Henry Clay quartz claim, Drytown district.

U. S. to M. E. Gates and A. Mc-towney, Providence quartz claim, Drytown district.

U. S. to South Cosmopolitan Company, patent to Worley quartz lodge, Drytown district.

LOCATION NOTICES.

H. B. Schenck, Kaybe quartz claim, 1500x600 feet, Volcano district.

J. K. Schenck, Summit quartz claim, 1500x600 feet, Volcano district.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Julius Blumenthal vs. L. A. Kent, abstract of judgment from justice's court of Stockton for \$124.90.

Joseph Woolfork with James Bannon, lease of 385 acres in Jackson valley, 5 years, \$1875.

CERTIFICATES OF REDEMPTION.

Ed. Hammack, Wabash quartz mine, sold for taxes 1900-1, \$27.37.

Wabash M. Co., Wabash mine, taxes of 1905, \$18.06.

Frank Primo, 160 acres, 23-8-11, taxes of 1900-1-2, \$19.23.

MORTGAGES.

W. C. Fithian and Ephraim Fithian to Baelia Thompson, 280 acres in T-6-10, \$8000 one year, \$5 per cent.

Maria Garibaldi and Giuseppe Garibaldi to Lorenzo Oneto, lot 4 block 4, Sutter Creek, \$400, 1 year, 10 per cent.

John Touhey and Annie Touhey to J. W. Surface, F. A. Merrill and J. Newman, trustees of Ione Lodge I. O. O. F., 301 acres Jackson valley, \$2500, 1 year, 6 1/2 per cent.

Paolo Maruccci and wife to David Matley, lot in Jackson, \$600, 3 years, 8 per cent.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE.

J. W. Surface and others to John and Annie Touhey.

DIED.

QUIROLO—in the county hospital, May 1, 1904, Michael Quirolo, a native of Italy, aged 67 years.

SCHMITT—in Brooklyn, N. Y., May 1, 1904, Louise Schmitt, in her 80th year, beloved mother of Mrs. Chas. G. Heiser of Jackson.

Notice of Application for Parole.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the State Board of Prison Directors to be paroled from the State prison at Folsom according to law.

m59 (Signed) EUGENE McPHERSON.

Pine Grove, May 4, 1904.

A. RECHENELLO.

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Up-to-date dentistry by Dr. Delucchi, the Sutter Creek dentist.

New line of dusters just received at Peter Piccardo's harness shop.

Lemons, oranges, and bananas constantly on hand at Nettles' Mkt.

Pioneer Flour is the "Lily of the Valley," the "Pearl of Perfection."

Clarence Freeman has returned, after a two weeks' stay in Tehama county.

Good gingham guaranteed to wash for 5c a yard at the Jackson Shoe Store.

Piccardo is looking for you, better see what he wants. It may mean dollars to you.

They are hooping things up in Amador City, but whooping cough is the principal cause of the activity.

Landlord Norman now has seven regular boarders at the county boarding house. He sets a good table, and no complaints are made of overcharges.

W. H. Wonderly handles the sweetest singers in the land—the Singer sewing machine.

We were told that haymaking was begun on the Mattley ranch Wednesday. The rain held on rather late, but the warm sun has matured the grass on time.

A. Axelrod, manager of the Red Front, returned from San Francisco Wednesday, where he has been during the past week, purchasing goods for his mammoth store.

Olives, salami, swiss, limburger, Martin's cream and California cheese at Nettles' Mkt.

Mrs. Emma Jansen, of Lincoln, Placer county, arrived by yesterday's stage on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kay. She was accompanied by her daughter.

The adjuster who came up to look into the Caminetti fire, reported a total loss both as to the house and furniture.

W. H. Glenn, general manager of the Glenn mine, was in town Monday, making arrangements for the placing of a 15-stamp mill upon his property.

Fred Thoms, the Plymouth postmaster, was interviewing friends at the county capital during the first of the week.

Earnest Spinetti, who formerly lived in Jackson, and who has just recovered from a severe attack of typhoid fever, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. A. Gennaro.

Fresh pickled olives of the season just received; 65c per gallon. Nettles' Market.

The survey has been completed and the ditches are now being dug, preparatory to laying the sewer pipes in the Hamilton tract. People who properly sewer their homes, generally enjoy good health and seldom have to consult a doctor.

The road leading to Jackson Gate has been put in good condition, also the highway between Jackson and Sutter. It is now a pleasure to ride out past the Gate and return via Kennedy Heights.

If you want a good harness at reasonable prices call at A. Basso's, Jackson.

The Traction Engine Company is doing some substantial work on the Ione road by way of graveling, etc. It takes 32 miles to haul one truck load of gravel from the pit to the road, from whence it is distributed with an engine.

Mrs. K. Fleming and son George left for Oakland Thursday morning, where they will reside for some time, George Stribley was formerly a teacher in Amador county, and now goes to take a course at the state university.

Easy riding saddles, collars that fit, and whips that pop at Piccardo's.

Last Saturday night it snowed heavily at Antelope and as far down as Aqueduct. It rained heavily during the night at all points along the mineral belt.

Choice brands of tobacco, everybody chews them. A. Well, Amador City.

The early hours of Sunday morning were disturbed by a rough and tumble fight on Main street, in which some blood was shed. The principal participants bore the marks of the conflict for several days thereafter. The sheriff was notified, and was quickly on the ground, and restored peace.

Mike Quirolo, an old resident of the county hospital, died in that institution last Sunday. He had been an inmate of the hospital for a period of 21 years, a longer term than any other patient. Death was due to the infirmities incident to old age. The funeral took place on Tuesday, the remains being interred in the Catholic cemetery.

IN CATTLE CAN BE PREVENTED. CUTTER'S BLACK LEG VACCINE, California's favorite, the most successful, easiest used and lowest priced reliable vaccine made. Powder, string or pill form. Write for free Black Leg booklet.

THE CUTTER LABORATORY, San Francisco.

If your druggist does not stock our vaccines, order direct from us.

BLACK LEG.

NEW MANAGEMENT.

E. M. HURST, Proprietor.

RATES FROM \$1 TO \$2 A DAY.

Meals from 25c to 50c.

Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers.

All Stages stop at this hotel.

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Bullion, Gold Dust, Quartz, Specimens, Platinum, and all kinds of Gold and Silver bought.

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic
has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay. 50c.
Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.